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黒大蛇の過去?

[ONE PIECE]



新連載

魔法の



魔法の



魔法の



どんちと咲かす救世の花

奇怪譚

少年と妖怪が会い
生み出す奇怪譚、開幕?

花咲一休

原作 小宮山健太

監修 河田悠治

NEW SERIALIZATION!!

KIKAI BANASHI HANASAKA IKKYUU

IN A
CERTAIN
COUNTRY.

THE
STRANGE
INTERSEC-
TIONS OF
MYSTERIOUS
STORIES,
BEGIN,
BEGIN.

ONCE
UPON A
TIME

IN A
CERTAIN
USA.

THERE
WAS A
QUEER
MONSTER.

IT
WAS
SAYED
THAT,

AND THAT MONSTER... LOVED THE GAME OF WITS*.

奇怪
な
っ
し

花咲
一休

はなさか いっしゅう

A MONK AND A MONSTER
THE STRANGE
STORY OF
A QUEER
ENCOUNTER
BETWEEN A
HUMAN AND
A MONSTER
UNVEILS!!

ANY
WISH THAT
THE PERSON
HAS.

THE FIRST
STORY

SHARP SWORD,
BLADELESS SWORD

STORY

小宮山 健太

ART

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CHAPTER!!

新連載

HE
WOULD
GRANT

THE
SOUL
OF THAT
PERSON
WOULD
BE.

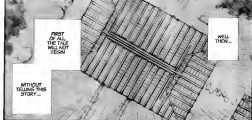
HE WOULD
SET "MALICIOUS
QUESTIONS" FOR
EVERYONE WHO
OBTAINED HIS
PATH.

IF THE
ANSWER
WAS A FOOL-
ISH ONE,

DEVoured
IMMEDIATELY.

HOWEVER,
ON THE
CONTRARY,

IF THE
RETURNED
ANSWER WAS
ONE WITH
WIT.



FIRST
OF ALL,
THE TALE
WILL PART
BEGIN

WILL
THEN...

WITHOUT
TELLING THIS
STORY...



THAT
SWORD

CANNOT
BE USED TO CUT
ANYTHING...



THE
MONK
SAID,



CAN
BE USED
TO CUT EVERY-
THING...

THE
MONK
SAID, THE
SWORD





...STORY OF WIT.







BASTARD!
YOU SWELL
OF ONDER!!

THESE
HURRY
UP AND
GO ELSE-
WHERE.

ENOUGH!
DO NOT
MEET EYES
WITH HIM.

THAT'S
COUL..

POO... I
HAVE AN
ANSWER TO
THE QUEST -
CAN YOU
FOOTED
BAILED ON

THE
CONTENT
OF THE
TEACUP

AN—

.....





It's known, several periods of hunger and malnutrition events abdominal swelling which is caused by digestive organs trying to absorb water and nutrients from internal organs.



THAT
WAS A
LESSON
THAT I'VE
LEARN'T

THERE
IS NO DEAL
BEHIND THAT
ACCOMPLISHED
ONE'S
MISSION

AND THERE
IS NO DEAL
MEANS TO
ONE'S WITH



IF YOU
WANT TO
SOLVE A
QUESTION,

I HAVE
AN ADVICE
FOR YOU
STILL BE GETTING
NOT TO ONLY FOR
WIFE AND TOY
TO HAVE THE
EXPLANATION
INSTEAD



MY CHILD

DON'T
YOU THINK
SO?





HEY
JACOB
THAT EAGLE
WE HAVEN'T
SEEN IT IN
A LONG
TIME



THE
STATION
OF JEROME
WHICH HE IS
RECALLED
IN THE
CLASS OF
WIT.

WE WEREN'T
ABLE TO FIND IT
AT ALL FOR
MUCH TIME.



WE'LL
YOU BECOME
FORWARD A
MAYBE WE CAN

THAT
NOW IN NO
THAT WILL BE
FOOD AND A
ROCK CHINE
WILL BE

WANT TO
BE REALLY
FAR TO BECOME
A HOME WITH
THOSE UNFOLD
SCENARIOS?

**YOU HAVE
TO THINK ABOUT
FLUENCY**

“The law will find a way to ensure that it is not used to force a hand in local and state elections,” says a spokesman for the American Bar Association.



NO MATTER
HOW UNDESIRABLE
THOSE
QUESTIONS
WERE.

THE
WORLD
DEFINITELY
MADE A BETTER
COLUMBIAN.

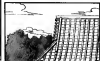
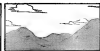
IN THE
PAST, HIS NAME
EVEN TOOK THE
NAME-LESS
VILLAGES OF
AFRICA.

THAT PEOPLE
STARTED TO
CALL HIM THE
"GUTTY GUY."



EARL
 HE PUT
 HIS FINGER
 ON HIS HEAD
 LIKE THIS AND
 ANSWERED
 THEM EARLY

WHOLE
THAT YEAH
REALLY SOME-
THING ABOUT
YOU











IN THE
SWORD
LIES ONE'S
SOUL.

ONE
WILL BE
ABLE TO FIND
A SENSE OF
SELF IN ONE'S
SWORD-
MANSHIP.



TAKE A
LOOK.
THERE IS A
SPECIAL
SYNCHING
BETW. SWORD

OVER
THERE
RIGHT?

—YAH



TALKING
ABOUT VITA-
LIZING A
SWORD.

E AR
OF NO
EXCEPTION

I'M
JUST LIKE
THAT PERSON
OVER THERE
EVERY DAY



...
ON THAT
DAY
...



HOWEVER,



I'M
ALSO THAT
PERSON WILL
ON REFINING
HIS SWORD

EVERY
SINGLE
DAY







WHAT IS...

THINGS
LIKE THIS
ARE OF NO
CONCERN
TO ME...

KA
KA
KA~

THIS GUY...?



EXTREMELY
STRANGE IL-
NESS THAT HE
HAD CONTRAC-
TED, ISN'T IT?

IT'S AN



!?



AREN'T
YOU REALLY
GOOD WITH
YOUR MYSTIC?

WELL
THEN...
GO TO THE
MAIN TEMPLE
BUILDING

WITH THAT
SWORD.

THIS IS A
FAIRLY GOOD
NEGOTIATION
ISN'T IT?

SINCE
THAT MIGHT
BE THE KEY TO
SAVE THOSE
PEOPLE...



A
MONSTER
THAT ASKS
PEOPLE QUES-
TIONS

AND
DEVOURS
THEIR
SOULS.

MY
NAME
IS

KARMA



WELL...
NOW...

A STRANGE
SWEETNESS OF
DEATH,
THAT CAN BRING
THE COUNTRY
INTO A FEMERAL

SHAME
WILL FIRST
BE EMPTIED
FROM HIS
ENTIRE BODY.

AND THE
NEXT WILL
BURN HIM
TO DEATH
IN THE END.



WITH ME...



HAVE A
GAME OF
WITS



HOWEVER,
I DON'T WANT
YOU TO USE THAT
SHIELD TO HAVE
A BATTLE WITH
ME.

INSTEAD,
I WANT TO TEST
YOUR WITS.



HAVE
A GAME
OF WITS
WITH ME.



DON'T
JOKE
AROUND
WITH ME!



IS
THE LINK
BETWEEN
THEM??



AND THE
GAME OF
WITS

WHAT
EXACTLY



THE
BLACK
SHIELD
DISEASE







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FROM THIS
MOMENT ON, I
WILL SET "QUEST-
IONS" AND IF YOU
ARE UNABLE TO
COME OUT WITH
AN ANSWER.

I WILL
DEVOUR
YOUR
SOUL.



I
WANT
TO

THIS IS
A TEST
FOR YOU.
A TEST OF
WISDOM.

HAVE A
GAME OF
WITS WITH
YOU.



IF YOU
REPLY TO
ME WITH AN
ANSWER OF
WIT.



HOW-
EVER.



A GAME
OF WITS
...!?



I CAN
USE MY
POWER

TO GRANT
A WISH THAT
YOU HAVE.

NO MATTER
WHAT WISH
IT IS...

I WILL
GO AS
FAR AS
TO SAY
THAT...



NO... THERE
ARE MANY
PEOPLE WHO
WANT ME TO
GRANT THEIR
PERSONAL
DESIRES.

AREN'T
YOU THE
SAME AS
THEM?

IF
THAT'S THE
CASE, RETURN
EVERYONE TO
THEIR ORIGINAL
STATE RIGHT
NOW!

GAME OF
WITS OR
WHATEVER,
I'LL DO IT.



THAT
I HAVE
...P

TO
GRANT A
WISH



CAN
I BE-
LIEVE IN
THOSE
WORDS
...T

THAT'S
STUPID.



THE
REASON
OF YOU
NOT USING
YOUR WIS
ANYMORE.

WILL YOU
STILL DO
THAT AFTER
I TELL YOU
THIS?



WILL YOU
WITNESS
THIS
...P

EVERYTHING
HAPPENED
NINE YEARS
AGO...

YOU CAN
ASK WHAT
YOUR HEART
REALLY
WANTS.



IS IT
REALLY
ALRIGHT TO
RETURN THEIR
BODIES JUST
LIKE THIS?

I KNOW
EVERY
SINGLE
THING.



"IKKYU" AND "THE SWORD THAT CAN'T CUT"



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AS HER HEART BE-
CAME TOTALLY
EXHAUSTED
FROM FIGHTING
THE DISEASE.

TOWARDS
THE SON
WHO CAN SOLVE
ANY KIND OF
UNDESIRABLE
QUESTIONS.

SHE CLUNG
ONTO HIM AND
ASKED HIM A
QUESTION.



WHAT IS
THE CAUSE
OF IT...?

THE
SAME
DISEASE
AS THAT
KID...

HOWEVER,
ONE DAY...

HIS MOTHER
COLLAPSED
DUE TO A
STRANGE
ILLNESS.



THEY'RE
RUNNING AROUND
AND BANGING
BASIC OF ME
EVERY SINGLE
NIGHT

I REALLY
CAN'T ENDURE
IT ANYMORE

DEATH--

THERE ARE
PRACTICES OF
DISEASES* LIVING
INSIDE MY
BODY

L/N: The disease that some people believed for body and that would
be to be a. This is very similar to our understanding of "disease".



GIVE
ME SOME
SUGGEST-
IONS WITH
THAT WAY OF
YOURS

PLEASE
FIND A WAY
TO SAVE
ME

ARE
THERE ANY
GOOD WAYS
TO DEAL WITH
THAT?



NO MATTER
HOW HARD
HE LOOPEE'D
HIS HEAD, HE COULDN'T
NOT FIND THE
WAY TO SAVE
HIS MOTHER.



HOW-
EVER, HE
LEFT HIS
MOUTH
HEALED.

HE BEGAN
TO SEARCH
FOR THE REAL
ANSWER TO
SAVE HIS
MOTHER.

HOWEVER...



OF COURSE,
ALL THAT WAS
DONE WAS JUST
LIP SERVICE
AND CUNNING.

THE
QUESTION WAS
UNANSWER-
ABLE



HIS
COULDN'T
SAVE HIS
MOTHER.

HE
FELT THAT
HE WAS
TOTALLY
USELESS.

ALTHOUGH
THE MONK
SHOWED A
GREAT DEAL
OF WIT,

ALL OF HIS
WITS WERE
MERELY LIP
SERVICE IN
THE END.



THE
MONKMENT
BROUGHT WITH
THE NAME OF
WIT...

HE DECIDED
TO CAST AWAY
EVERYTHING
RELATED TO
THOSE DIS-
FELT CHIL-
DREN.



HE BECAME
Tired OF HIS
TRANSIENT
WISDOM THAT
CAN ONLY ACT
AS A STIMULUS.

BECAUSE
OF THAT, HE
CONCEALED
HIS VETS.



.....



TEACH-
ER.....



AN
EMPTY
WISDOM.

YOU
CAME TO
DEAD-END.

MEANING-
LESS IN HIS
WORLD.

HIS
Talent
BECAME



THE
PRACTICAL
USE OF THE
BLADE...

DIDN'T
EXIST FROM
THE VERY
BEGINNING.



!?

SINCE
THEN...



STOPPING
SWINGING
HIS SWORD-
AND ALSO

THE
SHOCKEN
LITTLE
MOMENT



1/26 "you said to understand every other" "you said using formal speech."









IS THE
MYSTERIOUS
SWORD THAT I'VE
CREATED.

THE
THING
YOU'RE
CURRENTLY
HOLDING
IN YOUR
HAND

NOW...

WITH THE
SWORD IN
POSSESSION.

WELL THEN.

FIND THE
THING WITHIN THE
COMPOUND OF THE
TEMPLE THAT CAN
NEVER BE CUT.

IT CAN
CUT ANYTHING
INTO TWO WITH
A SINGLE
STROKE.

THERE
IS NOTHING
IN THIS WORLD
THAT THE SWORD
CAN'T CUT.



HAVEN'T
IT BEEN
EXPECTEDLY
EASY??



THIS
IS THE
"QUESTION"
FROM
ME.



ANY... NO
I WILL HAVE
TO REASON
WITH THE
SEEMABLY
SAFE COM-
POUND



THAT WAS
MEETLY FOR
KILLING TIME.

I GAVE
YOU THE
SAFE QUEST-
ION AS I'VE
GONE TO THE
OLD MONK
FOR FUN.

REST
ASSURED.

I DID
NOT BELIEVE
THAT MONK
BULL!



I WILL
ONLY WAIT
AS LONG AS
THAT INTERVAL.

YES... BY THE TIME I
GET TO THAT ALMOSURE,
YOU'LL HAVE TO COME
OUT WITH AN ANSWER.

WELL
THEN, YOU
CAN JUST
COME HERE
!!



OH THERE'S
ALSO ANOTHER
CONDITION.

WHAT!?

That's
more.

I DON'T
HAVE MUCH
PATIENCE
TOO.



THINGS
LIKE AIR,
WATER AND
ILLNESS WILL
BE PLACED
ASIDE.

A LIMITATION
IS THAT THE
ANSWER MUST
BE A SOLID.

SINCE THEY
ARE TOO SIMPLE
FOR YOU TO PASS
THE CHALLENGE...
HAH~

ALTHOUGH
IT'S TRUE THAT
THIS SWORD IS
ABLE TO CUT
ANYTHING...

ALRIGHT,
ONE~~~~~

WELL
THEN, I'LL
START OVER
AGAIN.

!!

IS
THAT THE
TEMPLE
BELL?

ONE...
DON'T GET
TOO CARRIED
AWAY!

I'LL
DEFINITELY
MAKE A NITTY
CONTRACT.
IDC!!!

WHAT
EXACTLY
DO I DO WITH
THIS THING
THAT HE
NEEDS?





CHURN IT

IT...
TIME
IS RUN-
NING OUT,
IKKYUUN

IF YOU LOSE
THIS CHALLENGE,
YOUR SOUL WILL
ALSO BE...

I HAVE LOST



FIVE...



IKKYUUN

.....

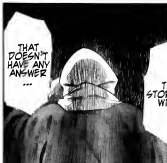


HOWEVER,
THE STORY WILL
NOT END JUST
LIKE THIS



ADDI-
TIONALLY,
IT'S BEEN
A LONG TIME
SINCE I PLAYED
A GAME OF
WITS WHERE
I HAD TO
THINK CREATI-
VELY

FROM THOSE
DULLY LOGICAL
THINKING, I NOW
KNOW THAT I'VE
BECOME LESS
FLEXIBLE



THAT
DOESN'T
HAVE ANY
ANSWER
...

THE
STORY OF
WITS







AMHIT

CAN'T YOU GIVE ME A
LITTLE MORE
TIME TO THINK
ABOUT THE
ANSWER...?

JUST GIVE ME A
LITTLE MORE TIME
AND I'LL BE ABLE TO
FIND THE ANSWER.

WAIT
FOR A
MOMENT
!!



THERE
WILL ALSO
NOT BE ANY
TIME EX-
TENSION.
FOOL -!

INTANGIBLE
THINGS WILL
NEVER PASS THE
JUDGEMENT AS
THE CORRECT
ANSWER!!

I DON'T
WANT TO
DO THAT.

NOW,
LET ME
HEAR YOUR
ANSWER.



6/90: Sisyphus is saying that he can't change the mind of Cortex

WHAT IS
THE THING
THAT CANNOT
BE CUT BY
THAT SHARP
IT

YEAH,
YEAH, NOW,
OUT WITH THE
ANSWER.

AS WHAT I
HAVE EXPECTED,
EVEN WITH THIS
SHARP.

—OH
WHAT AN
INFLEXIBLE
BOY

I CAN'T
CUT THE
INFLEXIBLE
HEADS OF
BARTADOR
LIKE YOU!



MY
ANSWER
IS

YOUR
OBSTINATE
HEAD THAT
CAN'T BE USED
FLEXIBLY.



THE
ANSWER
IS



OH, OH,
KEPPE!

IM
AGGROU-
AND TO
WHAT I'VE
JUST SAID



THE
THING THAT
CANNOT BE
CUT BY THIS
SWORD...







WHAT ARE
YOU GOING TO
DO ABOUT THE
BODIES OF THOSE
MONKS?

YOU —
WAIT A
MINUTE.

I CAN
USE THE
SWORD

TO TEST
THAT
IS TRUE
RIGHT?

SAYS IT —
IT'S WORTH
FIGHTING AND
COMING OUT WITH
A DIFFERENT
ANSWER!

BEHOLD, THE
WAY TO LIVE THE
DREAM IS...
OH... OH...



IT MEANS
THAT I CAN'T
CUT OFF YOUR
INFLATABLE
HEAD...

NO, I
DON'T WANT
TO CHANGE
MY ANSWER...
BECAUSE, IT IS
ALRIGHT FOR
YOU TO
ESCAPE



THAT —
IS
WELL

IF I DIE,
YOUR WISH
WILL NOT BE
GRANTED
RIGHT?

WAAAAH—
WISH.

I SAID
THE SWORD
CAN'T CUT
YOUR HEAD

WHAT ABOUT
THE WISH?



I WAS GOING
TO MARRY
THAT WITH
YOUR HEAD,
CAMEL.

HMM.



THE SWORD
WILL CAN
CUT ANY-
THING.

SPARK

SPARK



CAN'T
BE CUT,
CAN IT?

MY ANSWER
IS JUST AS
I'VE SAID.

THAT
POWERFUL
HEAD OF
YOURS.



YAH...



THAT
THAT
GOOD?

OHMM
MONOTED









TRANSLATION NOTES

IN THE ORIGINAL TEXT, THE
"GAME OF WITS" WAS
WRITTEN AS "TONCHI
MONDOU", WHICH CAN
LITERALLY TRANSLATED BE
INTO "QUESTIONS AND
ANSWERS OF WITS".
"MONDOU" SIMPLY MEANS
"QUESTIONING AND
ANSWERING". AS THERE ARE
NO ENGLISH COUNTERPARTS
OF THAT PHRASE AND THE
LITERAL TRANSLATION
SOUNDED RATHER AWKWARD,
I HAVE DECIDED TO
TRANSLATE THE PHRASE
INTO THE "GAME OF WITS" ●